

ELM GROVE FIELD
03-250 thru 03-263

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 2003**, upon the application of **J-W OPERATING COMPANY**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A and to the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A**, in the Elm Grove Field, Webster and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana.

1. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SU26 and one (1) alternate unit well for CV RA SU26 and for LCV RA SU70, at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application.
2. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize one (1) alternate unit well for HOSS RA SU27, CV RA SU27 and for LCV RA SUNN, at the location shown on the plats submitted with the application.
3. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SU28, CV RA SU28 and for LCV RA SUMM, at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application.
4. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SU128 and for LCV RA SU56 and one alternate unit well for CV RA SU133, at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application.
5. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize one (1) alternate unit well for CV RA SU124 and for LCV RA SUR, at the location shown on the plats submitted with the application.
6. To permit the drilling of each of the proposed wells at the location shown on the plats submitted with the application or at any legal location within the unit on which it is proposed to be drilled.
7. To approve exceptions to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972 (applicable to the Hosston Zone, Reservoir A), Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973 (applicable to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A) and Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E, effective July 16, 1996 (applicable to the Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A) for any of the proposed wells, the location of which, as shown on the plats submitted with the application, does not comply with the well location provisions in said Orders.
8. To find that each of the proposed alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the unit on which it is proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on such unit.
9. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

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The Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Webster and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-A-1, effective October 1, 1972.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove, Caddo, Webster and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B, effective October 1, 1973 and Office of Conservation Order No. 361-B-6, effective May 24, 1978.

The Lower Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Caddo, Webster and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana, is defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E, effective July 16, 1996.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.